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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
Philip E. Thorpe and Sophia Ran

Serial No.: 10/620,850

Filing Date: July 15, 2003

For: Selected Antibody Compositions and
Methods for Binding to
Aminophospholipids

Group Art Unit: 1642

Examiner: Yao, L.

Atty. Dkt. No.: 4001.003082

**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND TO RESTRICTION
AND SPECIES ELECTION REQUIREMENT DATED SEPTEMBER 15, 2006**

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicants petition for an extension of time of five months to and including March 15, 2006, in which to respond to the Restriction and Species Election Requirement dated September 15, 2005. A five month extension fee is required.

The small entity fee for said five-month extension is \$1,080.00. The Office is instructed to deduct said five-month extension fee from Peregrine Pharmaceuticals, Inc. Deposit Account

No. 50-3493/4001.003082. Should any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be

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deemed necessary for any reason, the Office is also authorized to deduct any such fees from
Peregrine Pharmaceuticals, Inc. Deposit Account No. 50-3493/4001.003082.

Respectfully submitted,

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